

The Weather
Oakland, vicinity,
Santa Clara, Sac-
ramento and San
Joaquin Valleys—
Fair tonight;
Sunday, fair and
warm; light
westerly winds.

"U. S. DECLARED WAR": ZIMMERMANN

Licenses of Five Cafes Revoked After Very Lively Hearing

HOT WORDS EXCHANGED AT HEARING IN COUNCIL

JOHNSON SPEAKS ON WAR BEFORE 200,000 PATRIOTS

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PHILADELPHIA, March 31.—America abhors war, but she will protect her citizens even though she must resort to the sword. On the eve of a national crisis, Senator-elect Hiram W. Johnson of California today sounded this as the keynote of his address before the greatest patriotic demonstration here since Civil War days.

An enthusiastic crowd, estimated at 200,000, jammed historic Independence Square and overflowed into adjoining streets for blocks around to participate in the celebration.

Two aviators, Robert Glendenning and Walter Johnson, flew over the crowds, bombarding them with patriotic literature and flags.

Preliminary to the celebration at Independence Square a monster parade with thousands in line was held. A demonstration for children was held at Washington Square, nearby.

"Every normally constituted man abhors war," Johnson said, "but the very tension of honor, before engaging in bloody strife, but a nation such as ours that dares not maintain its ideals and will not protect the lives of its citizens, must within itself the seeds of dissolution."

Mayor Gill, Five Police, 'Not Guilty'

BY UNITED PRESS.
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SEATTLE, March 31.—Mayor H. C. Gill, Chief of Police Beckingham and Detectives Poolman, Doon, McLennan and Sawyer were acquitted today of the charge of conspiracy in the illegal shipment of liquor into dry territory, filed against them by the United States Government.

The verdict was reached by the jury at 6:30 o'clock this morning, after having deliberated since 5:15 o'clock last night. Because the defendants and attorneys did not assemble until 9:45 the verdict was not read until then.

When the verdict was announced, Wilmon Tucker and Walter Fulton, two of the defense attorneys, broke down and wept. Mayor Gill remained motionless for an instant, then a wide smile spread over his face. Later he too broke down and wept and kissed his law partner, Herman Fry.

Rev. Percy, one of the jurors, declared that "at no time was he convinced, but he could not vote to convict because then the punishment would have fallen on the families of these men, though a doubt existed as to their guilt."

As soon as the indictments were announced in January State and local prohibition leaders volunteered to go on Mayor Gill's bail bond and offered money to assist in the defense. Wilmon Tucker, president of the State Bar Association and the King County Bar Association, was engaged to defend Gill and former Supreme Court Justice Frederick Bausman offered his services without charge as assistant counsel.

Gill issued a statement saying that he had been indicted and indicted because he had enforced the prohibition law rigorously and has incurred the ill will of wholesale liquor dealers in the State.

Gill attracted nation-wide attention when he was recalled from the office of mayor in 1911 for alleged toleration of vice and by being elected mayor by enormous majorities in 1914 and 1916.

The entire case revolved around the alleged payment of bribes to all the accused officials by Logan and Fred Billingsley.

The charges were filed after a probe lasting more than two months during which scores of witnesses were called, first to indict the Billingsley brothers, Logan, Fred and Ora, and then to substantiate their charges of corruption made against the city and county officials.

Attorney for Resorts Under Fire Attacks Motives Behind the Fight Begun to Close Them

DAVIE OBJECTS TO WASHINGTON DIRTY LINEN

Hynes Declares That He Would Include All Law Violators in Revoking Saloon Licenses

Licenses of five cafes of the night life were revoked by the city council this afternoon following a lengthy hearing of defense on the part of the proprietors and a resolution adopted by the council upon request of Commissioner Anderson directed Chief of Police Petersen to investigate twenty-three other similar places. The cafes which must close their doors to the sale of intoxicants at midnight tonight are:

The Lodge, in Tenth street; Edwin's Chinese cafe in Sixteenth street, The Lobby at Eighteenth and San Pablo avenue, the Rex at Eighth and Broadway and the Tip in Tenth street, near Franklin.

Charging conspiracy on the part of certain liquor interests as being behind the motives for the attack upon eight local cafes wherein it is alleged two minor boys were sold intoxicants, attorneys for the proprietors appeared in defense of their licenses before the City Council in special session today.

Sharp retorts between counsel and commissioners, and with District Attorney Hynes, who appeared on the side of the proponents of the resolution, marked the session that continued from 10 o'clock this morning through the noon and well into the afternoon.

WOULD INCLUDE ALL.

That all cafes of the character of the eight specifically mentioned in the Grand Jury report should be considered in the category of evil was contended by members of counsel for the defendants.

That the Grand Jury opened up a fight that is to be fought to the finish possibly as the direct outcome of whatever action the Council will take in the present instance was openly asserted by Attorney A. P. Stetevater, who appeared for The Lodge cafe conducted by Perkins & MacDonald, in Tenth street.

District Attorney Hynes, accused of singling out a certain few of the cafes for attack in the Grand Jury report, retorted to Attorney Stetevater that he "at this time is willing to serve notice upon all liquor license holders that he will recommend revocation of their licenses in any similar cases brought to his attention."

OBJECTS TO DIRTY LINEN.

Speaking to the inferences made that a deep conspiracy existed between the liquor interests, Mayor Davie stated that "if we are to wash dirty linen for the saloons the sooner we know it the better."

Inquiry was made of the two youths who were called as witnesses, and who

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GIANT SHIP YARD PLAN IS COMPLETE

Acquisition of 50 Acres in Alameda by Union Iron Works First Step in Big Operations

Canal, New Berths and Other Improvements, to Cost Five Millions, Will Be Rushed

The acquisition of fifty acres of waterfront land on the Alameda side of the Oakland estuary adjacent to present holdings by the Union Iron Works and the announcement of \$5,000,000 in permanent improvements to be made immediately, has brought to light purposes plans for the building of a shipyard which will make Oakland the possessor of the largest ship construction plant in the United States.

The extensions of the Union Iron Works came to light yesterday through the filing of a deed to the property, in favor of the company, with County Clerk George Gross by Harrison S. Robinson, the company's attorney. The land was transferred from the holdings of the Oakland Waterfront Company and is directly contiguous to present company holdings on the south shore.

The program of development contemplated by the directorate of the corporation includes certain extensive improvements designed to equip the yards with facilities for shipbuilding, including all kinds of shipbuilding business of the large vessel class. Among these improvements is the building of a canal or inland harbor, 30 feet deep, 100 feet wide and extending from the present line of the estuary south to Eagle avenue, or within six blocks of Santa Clara avenue, the central business street of Alameda.

TO DREDGE HARBOR

In addition there is to be a great amount of dredging and filling of the holdings, the construction of four giant shipbuilding berths, in which vessels 1000 feet in length can be cradled and launched and the erection of warehouses, storerooms, machine shops and other buildings. According to Robinson, the company's announcement of the company's plans, work is to be rushed on the dredging and filling so that the erection of the various structures which are to form the new unit in the company's extensive development plans, may begin as soon as possible.

The acquisition of the fifty acres of land placed on record yesterday gives the Union Iron Works 100 acres of valuable land, of which 75 acres are to be intensively developed in an industrial way. Twenty acres will be devoted to waterways, and the total waterfront property to be 3300 feet, the western property line being some eight city blocks in length. The eastern frontage will be taken up with launching ways arranged so that vessels may be launched up the estuary against the tide instead of directly across the estuary as heretofore.

NEW CANAL

The new canal which is to be dredged is to be used by the company as its own freight terminal. Vessels in which machinery is to be installed, new vessels ready for final outfitting and other forms of construction work will be done in this place. The total investment contemplated at the present time is in excess of \$5,000,000, according to officials of the company.

DERRICK LOSES

Judgment in the sum of \$13,167 against Dr. George H. Derrick of Oakland, recent candidate for Congress, has been awarded by Judge Milton P. Fawcett of Kern county, new venue being taken by the plaintiff, Dr. Derrick, who received this morning by the county clerk from the jurist, who heard the cause in this county.

Derrick sued Dr. Derrick for \$15,000 damages for breach of contract. He alleged that in 1911 he contracted with the physician to "purchase seventy-seven acres of the Shiman ranch in Eden township for \$57,750, and that Dr. Derrick later repudiated the contract and sold the same land to another person. In the meantime, Borden said, he had arranged to sell the land to H. G. Torrence of Oakland for \$59,350, and the physician's action prevented him from consummating the agreement.

DEFENSE FARMING

WASHINGTON, March 31.—More than \$200,000,000 will be loaned out by the federal land banks during the coming year to intensify the farming industry of the country as a measure of national defense, the federal farm loan board announced today.

GUARD GIVEN OVATION ON DEPARTURE

Boys in Khaki Cheered as They Take Train for Presidio, to Enter Mobilization Center

Recruiting in Oakland Said to Be Satisfactory; Borree Bitterly Rebukes All Slackers

With the ranks filled nearly to minimum strength, F Company of the Fifth Infantry of the National Guard of California, Captain Hinchman commanding, departed today for the mobilization camp in the Presidio of San Francisco. Although there was no announcement of the time of marching, there was an impromptu demonstration on the part of the citizens as the boys in khaki stepped out on their way to the service of the federal government. Flags were waved, good wishes were shouted and the spirit of enthusiasm was evident. The boys were even better yesterday than for the previous days of the week, when they were en route to the Presidio. A combination of reception and farewell celebration was held at the headquarters of the company, at the intersection of the city and the waterfront. Speeches were made by Lieutenant Colonel Leon C. Francis, Postmaster Joseph J. Rosborough and Captain Hinchman.

Personal attention to recruiting in Hayward. Until such time as the order comes for the entire Fifth Infantry to mobilize, the headquarters in Oakland, said Colonel Francis will spend much of his time in the country districts, stimulating interest in the National Guard and assisting the officers in recruiting for the various sections.

BROUGHT TO WAR STRENGTH

The machine gun company was brought up virtually to war strength last evening. The organization is continuing recruiting, however, and it is expected that the company will meet federal requirements when the company is mustered into service.

The recruiting office of the regular army took in twenty men in the evening. One of them was James G. Hill of Oakland, who resigned a clerical position with the Southern Pacific Company to enter the ranks. He stands 5 feet, 4 1/2 inches tall.

VINEGAR IN VEINS

There is not enough ginger in the recruiting campaign and not enough enthusiasm among the youth of the city in the opinion of Adjutant General Borree, who took occasion at a meeting of the military affairs committee of the Sacramento Chamber of Commerce to criticize the army of young men in the capital city. His remarks have a wider application, however. He said in part:

"I wish we had some machine which would suck the youth out of the veins of the boys and inject some real blood. The lack of enthusiasm and interest in the militia is disheartening."

COMPANY G DEPARTS

ALAMEDA, March 31.—Company G, N. G. C., left Alameda at 9:30 o'clock this morning, en route to the Presidio mobilization camp. The company marched from the armory to the north side Park street depot, taking a regular ferry train for the Alameda pier. There was no public farewell or demonstration. Orders to go to the mobilization camp coming with unexpected suddenness and before the citizens at large had even realized that the men were mustering for the greatest crisis in American history since the civil war. At 7 o'clock two auto trucks appeared at the armory and were loaded with company property. The auto trucks crossed the bay by the cable route ferry.

MAY EXTEND TIME

SACRAMENTO, March 31.—Although Adjutant-General J. J. Borree said that the deadline for the final date for California National Guard companies to reach the peace strength of sixty-five men to a company or else be dropped from the militia, he announced today that the recruiting of boys may bring about a reconsideration of that order. In

GERMAN 'SEA EAGLE' LURES VESSELS TO DOOM IN ATLANTIC

265 Survivors of Ships Sunk Are Landed In Rio de Janeiro: Bring Strange Tale of Exploits: One Woman on Board

LINER SUNK: AMERICAN PERISHES

By H. B. ROBERTSON.
United Press Staff Correspondent.

RIO DE JANEIRO, March 31.—Two hundred and sixty-five men and two women survivors of eleven steamships and sailing vessels sunk in the Atlantic were brought into port today with another amazing German raider exploit. They arrived on the French bark Camborne.

The new German raider, according to their stories, is a sailing vessel with auxiliary gasoline engines. She flies the Norwegian flag and is heavily armed.

The survivors claimed many of those on the eleven ships destroyed by the latest German sea rover had been drowned or lost in the sinking of the vessels.

The new German raider bears the name "See Adler" ("Sea Eagle"). Her commander is Count Luckner. She left Germany on December 22. Most of her victims were overhauled and sunk in the vicinity of Trinidad, according to the survivors. The present whereabouts of the See Adler is unknown.

EXPLOITS ARE TOLD.

The raider's victims as listed by the survivors were:

Steamer Gladys Royal, British, 4500 tons; sunk off Madeira, January 3, 1917.

Steamer Lady Island, British, 4500 tons; sunk January 21.

Steamer Hongkong, British, 5700 tons; sunk February 19.

Sailing vessel Joan, British, 3700 tons; sunk February 26.

Steamer T. J. Hughes, British, 400 tons; sunk January 28.

Steamer Buenos Aires, Iwock, Italian, 2800 tons.

Steamer Charles Gounard, French, 3800 tons; sunk January 28.

Steamer Antoinette, French, 4000 tons; sunk January 28.

Steamer Rouffecaud, French, 3000 tons; sunk February 27.

Steamer T. J. Hughes, French, 3000 tons; sunk March 6.

On March 11 survivors told of the raider overhauling the sailing vessel Hongkong. The Hongkong was taken to Rio de Janeiro to be repaired. She was in to and immediately opened fire on her pursuer. One man aboard the raider was killed and four were wounded by her shells.

The survivors of the Camborne described the new German raider as a triple-masted sailing vessel with an auxiliary engine equipped of gunnery, expansion gasoline motors. She was armed with two six-inch guns and rapid-fire guns and left Germany December 22.

WOULD LEVY WAR'S COSTS UPON RICH

BY UNITED PRESS.
LEASSED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

NEW YORK, March 31.—The strongest pacifist influence in America today suddenly turned from efforts to prevent war to means of financing it.

Simultaneously it became known that a plan put forward by the American committee on war finance, headed by Amos Pinchot, to place the entire financial burden of the war upon persons with incomes of more than \$5000 per year has been endorsed in high government circles.

The greatest significance was placed upon the sudden action of leading pacifists because of belief that they were in close communication with Washington leaders. While they insisted that they "still hoped" for peace, their actions indicated that the hope is practically dead.

TO BEAR DEATH TOLL.

The committee, in its announcement today, pointed out that the heavy toll of war will be upon the working people of the country because of their greatest needs.

With this in view, it called for signature to a pledge to demand legislation for a special war income tax on all incomes over \$5000. The schedule calls for a tax of 2 1/2 per cent on all incomes from \$5000 to \$10,000 per year.

On all incomes over \$10,000 a sliding scale beginning at 10 per cent and rising to a point that will permit no individual to retain more than a net income of more than \$100,000 per year is proposed.

The pledge further calls for legislation limiting net profit on all war supplies to 3 1/2 per cent and provides that no wholesale or retail dealer shall sell foodstuffs at a profit greater than 6 per cent during the war.

"We do not believe that any real patriot wants the poor people of the nation to bear the burden of the cost of war in addition to the burden of fighting," said Pinchot today. "Our committee is not made up of peace-at-any-price people and there is no one connected with the movement who has any German sympathy."

Our proposal is simply predicated on the nation's experience in past wars and is based on the belief that in the event of war there should be a general partnership in patriotism between the working people who will be asked to volunteer their lives and the wealthy who will be called upon to give their dollars.

"The proposal may even furnish more money than is needed to finance the war. Any surplus logically could be used as a sinking fund for pensions."

BIG FORTUNES

"An idea of what such an emergency law would do can be seen in the case of the Dupont family, popularly reported to have an annual income of \$50,000,000. Taking out \$100,000 of each of the ten or so members of the family, would leave a net return to the government of approximately \$79,000,000 a year."

"Recently we have been asked to sign a meaningless pledge of loyalty to the country, which was, in effect, an insult to any real American's patriotism. Here is a pledge that is something more than empty words. It is practical patriotism."

TO EXTEND ZONE

LONDON, March 31.—The British admiralty announces that in view of the unrestricted use of mines and submarines by the Germans and the sinking of British merchant ships without regard to the safety of their crews, the "area of the North Sea which is rendered dangerous to all shipping by operations against the enemy will be extended on and after April 1."

NORWAY PROTEST

LONDON, March 31.—In a statement in the Norwegian parliament, according to the Standard's Copenhagen correspondent, Foreign Minister Høiby announced that the government had officially protested against the German blockade of Norway's north coast.

view of the present crisis an extension of time will probably be granted to most companies.

The adjutant-general expressed satisfaction over the progress of recruiting since the war department's call last Monday. During the week there have been approximately 1000 enlistments throughout the state.

GERMANY RECOGNIZES CONFLICT EXISTS NOW

Foreign Secretary Defends His Attempt to Win Mexico as Ally by Strange Argument

ADMISSION TO BE USED BY WILSON IN MESSAGE

Text of Address Completed by President; Will Go Before Congress at Earliest Hour

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Secretary of War Baker said this afternoon that the war department had today completed necessary arrangements for raising an army of as many men as the President may desire to carry out the will of Congress in dealing with Germany.

"BULLETIN"

WASHINGTON, March 31.—Germany may have recognized that a state of war exists between that country and the United States, according to an interpretation today by the state department of Foreign Secretary Zimmermann's speech.

This interpretation was based upon the published quotation of Zimmermann's remarks, saying: "The United States cannot deny us the right to seek allies when it has itself practically declared war on us."

The state department would not interpret the remark as being a full official recognition of a state of war, but it said the remark "might be" so interpreted.

This angle of the international situation probably will be interpreted into President Wilson's speech to Congress. He can argue that Germany already holds that a state of war exists—basely in the Zimmermann statement—and that there is no little argument as to facts of the situation.

MEXICO CAUSES ALARM

As the hour of the apparently inevitable approach of America's entrance into the world war draws near, Mexico, even more than Germany, has become a department of attention.

Carranza has never disclaimed interest in Germany's contemplated alliance with Mexico. The state department's specific request for an extension of Mexico's official attitude toward Zimmermann's proposal has been ignored—almost insolently ignored. It was accepted as a certainty, in event of war, Germany will renew the attempt to ally Mexico against the United States. In the light of this certainty the very uncertainty created by Carranza's silence is, in consequence, to be construed as menacing.

There is no feeling on the part of the government that American participation will be or can be of passive sort. There is no expectation that Germany will content herself with a defensive attitude toward the United States. In consequence, it is assumed that if hostilities begin it will be impossible for this country to maintain friendly relations with Germany's allies—Austria, Turkey and Bulgaria.

ZIMMERMANN EXPLAINS

LONDON, March 31.—Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent sends the following concerning the address of Dr. Alfred Zimmermann, minister of foreign affairs, in view of reports that he had made an offer of an attempt to embroil Mexico and Japan with the United States:

"Hugo Haase, leader of the Socialist minority in the Reichstag, remarked that the German offer of alliance with Mexico had aggravated the situation with the United States, and Dr. Zimmermann, replying, said: 'I wrote no letter to General Carranza. I was not so naive. I merely addressed by a route that appeared to me to be a safe one, instructions to our representative in Mexico. It is being investigated how these instructions fell into the hands of the American authorities.'

"I instructed the minister to Mexico, in the event of war with the United States, to propose a German alliance to Mexico, and simultaneously to suggest that Japan join the alliance. I declared expressly that, despite the

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WILL OF WOMAN CALLED FORGERY

TRIBUNE BUREAU
34 E. SANTA CLARA.
SAN JOSE, March 31.—R. H. Farmer
filed a petition in the probate department
of the Superior Court asking that the
\$21,000 will of Arabella Farmer be denied
probate and declared void. His grounds
are that it is not the real will of the de-
ceased woman, and if it is that it was written
under duress of Charles Laughlin Riddle.
Farmer claims that the will is a forgery.

FAVOR "DRY" BILL

SAN JOSE, March 31.—At the regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. of San Jose last evening, the program consisted of a reading of the prayer book. The class today voted to dispenze with the use of intoxicating liquors at its dinner in June. The Hominger bill was discussed, and upon a vote it was found that the union was unanimously in favor of it.

The following delegates were elected to the county convention to be held in Gilroy April 11, 1917:

Mrs. Julius, Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Irons, Mrs. Mary, Mrs. Weaver, Mrs. Glinn, Mrs. Hannah, Mrs. Langford, Mrs. Gifford,

P.J. Osmstead, Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. P.J. Rogers, Alternates—Mrs. Laura Beal, Mrs. J. H. Rogers, Mrs. K. E. Rogers, Mrs. M. A. Rogers, Mrs. C. Rogers, Mrs. Ten, Mrs. Markler, Mrs. S. Alahorn, Mrs. Ella Whitman, Mrs. Shores, Mrs. Weed, Mrs. Cochrane, Mrs. Osgood, Mrs. Ogden and Mrs. T. E. McNary.

MILITIAMEN CALLED.

VALLEJO, March 31.—It was unofficially announced yesterday afternoon that orders had been received from the Island for the members of the state militia employed at the local station to report to their companies immediately.

CLUB MEETS.

VALLEJO, March 31.—The Vallejo Yachting and Rowing Club held a meeting last Thursday evening at the Vallejo house and selected Saturday, MAY 6,

the opening day of the 1917 season, and preparations were made for a high jink at the headquarters on the waterfront on that evening.

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Everybody Invited
Don't Miss One of Them
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CATHOLIC CHURCH

8th st., at Jefferson
Services, 10, 11, 12
10, 11, 12. Evening
services 7:30 o'clock
A. L. V. C. C.

ST. LEO'S Catholic Church, Pladmore
ave. and Ridgeway—Services 7, 9, 10:30
12: evening service, 7:15 o'clock.

PSYCHO SCIENCE

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SCIENCE**

Corinthian hall, Pacific building, 18th
and Jefferson, Sunday, 7:45 p. m. Speak-
er, H. Robert Sinclair, "Jesus of Nazareth,"
with instrumental and vocal music, A.
V. Engquist, director. Free thought ex-
change with messages, Wednesday, 2:30
Come and help us to help humanity.

MISCELLANEOUS

DR. A. A. LINDSAY, Psychologist—Lee
ture dates and subjects: Hotel Col-
land, Sunday, 11 a. m., "Training the
Subconscious"; Native Sons hall, 41
Mason st., 8 p. m., "Self-Confidence
and Self-Consolidation"; Native Sons
hall, Monday, 8 p. m., "Memory Culture";
"Prophecy," Native Sons hall, Friday,
8 p. m., "Truth About Ourselves."

Seats free at all. Dr. Lindsay, at Hotel Plaza, is author of 12 psychology books.

GREAT RESCUE SERVICE

at the
NAZARINE CHURCH
corner of 9th and 12th sts. Sunday night
7:30. Come, hear of the power of the
Gospel in the slums. Lewis Ervin Burger
minister.

SPIRITUAL

TRINITY SPIRITUAL CHURCH, 320 12th
st., 35th anniversary of modern spirit-
ualism; grand all-day, Sunday, Sun-
day, April 1st; 11 a. m., sermon, Sun-
day messages; 2 p. m., old-fashioned mes-
sage clinics; address, Corwell, Dr. R.
Heckman; 7:45 p. m., extra sessions,
music, solos; address and messages, Dr.
Wm. Walton and Nellie, Dr. De Bruyne,
Brown, Mrs. McMullen, Mrs. Hyman,
Mrs. L. Sowles. All workers and public
invited.

FIRST Temple of Spiritualism, Lincoln
hall, 411 14th st., 7:45 p. m., Ambros-
son, Sunday, 3 p. m., address by pastor
Mr. Ynter, Mesmerism, Mediums, Hy-
pnotism, Writings and Visions, Dr. De Bruyne,
healing class, 6:30. All invited.

FIRST Spiritual Church, Luchena, 2nd
west of 25th st.; pastor, Auldred; 2
p. m., Sunday, April 1st, 1912, 7:45 p. m.,
messages by Dr. R. A. Stitt, and 6:30
Wednesday, 8 p. m., message meeting,
at San Pablo car. Everybody wel-
come.

UNITY SPIRITUAL CHURCH—PHILIP
Hall, 2308 E. 14th st. Sunday, 2:15 p. m.
and 7:45 p. m., Dr. Emerson Francis,
Loeven, Miss Sundberg, Dr. Froeschman,
Solo by Mrs. Simmons, the Orman fam-
ily, bands orchestra. Public invited.
Feature Sunday celebrations; remem-
brance for the children. Come and bring
your friends. All welcome.

FRUITFUL Spiritualist Church, Fruitful
vale ave. and E. 12th st., Sunday, 2:30
p. m., Mrs. Wm. Lewis, Dr. Lewis, Dr.
San Francisco, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Bur-
side, Mrs. Manning. Sunday school 4
p. m.

Accused Interloper Came Back Every Time for More; Fists Are No Bar to Dan Cupid

Howard L. Dunn, a brother of the complainant, also testified on Dunn's behalf!

RUTH ELDER WILL BE SUMMER BRIDE

SCHOOL ENTERED

Persons who entered the Emerson school at Forty-ninth street and Shafter during the night looted the lockers and desks of books and other personal belongings, according to a report made to the police today by the school custodian. The police believe the school was entered by neighborhood boys.

Give "California Syrup of Figs"
at Once if Bilious or
Constipated.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid.

Ask your druggist for a 60-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs." It has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Pig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.—Advertisement.



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MISS GLADYS LAY, who has been entertaining at a number of informal affairs this week in honor of her house guest, Miss Alberta Currier of Chico. —Scharz, Photo.

"Thank you, Elsie, but it's your sister's primary duty to listen to the story. My duty here," she presently went on, to Van Ness, "had a great career ahead of him in New York—²Judge Prentiss told me so—and he kicked it over without a word. I never and came up here where there

when he was a very little boy. I have figured it all out, and I couldn't have because he was thirteen when I was born. Besides, you can't begin to know

"It is hard to change an old habit into a thing like that."

"Oh, I don't mind the hardness of it. But whoever heard of calling a mayor by his first name? Call a mayor 'Finky! The thought is ridiculous. I won't it, Mr. Hare?"

But Hare was engrossed with the conversation of his own, now turned upon economic lines.

"Everything in the world that goes

p must come down," he was saying didactically, "except prices. They alone defy the laws of gravity."

Peter challenged the aphorism wordily. Mrs. Marno smiled at Marjorie across the flower-sweet table.

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Boston by this charming woman.
Town and Gown women are mak
their Lenten program tomorrow
the Berkeley clubhouse an unusu
brilliant occasion, offering Miss Ev
in "Sister Beatrice" for the first t
in California. She will be

Mrs. A. C. Posey is entertaining her house guest her aunt and uncles, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McNamara, who have come from their home in Pennsylvania to spend the spring in Peoria. They will be in Oakland for a fortnight longer. Mrs. Posey and

The several score little folk in Ladies' Relief Society buildings

A new Thursday Thimble Club, organized to give its weekly meetings over to the interest of the American Red Cross, has sprung up in Berkeley with Mrs. L. Williamson of Haight avenue opening her home for sessions. Fourteen matrons, eager to contribute their part to the war

Mrs. Charles L. Tigdale is being welcomed home after a several-week absence.

Eldon felt little interest in the
ter one way or another. He had
snubbed in his romance. The
role he played would never be
fied even by a tap of the criminal
geon. He was tired of the stage
And then the opportunity he
prayed for fell at his feet, after

Bridge, with tea later, summer
a number of additional friends
pleasure which Mrs. Frank Sta
is promising the guests whom she
included in her invitation for
nesday afternoon of next week.
Standish is opening her Clare
residence for the occasion.

particular guest of honor was Daniel Lothrop, founder of national organization. Mrs. Lo is widely known as the author of "Five Little Peppers" series.

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Uncle Wiggily and his FRIENDS

Uncle Wiggily opened the old umbrella. Alas! it was full of holes, through which the rain would easily sift if the drops should fall from the sky.

"Oh, you'll get soaking wet!" said Mother Hubbard. "Oh, dear!"

"Never mind," said jolly Uncle Wiggily. "It may not rain, and if it does, whoever took my good umbrella may need it more than I. Let them have it."

Then, tucking the old, ragged, full-of-

"What in the world have you there?" asked Uncle Butler, the goat gentleman, as he saw the rabbit coming along, shortly afterward.

"Oh, I bought some court plaster," said

Then he happened to think of all the court plaster he had bought. Quickly he hopped under a tree, and, taking out the sticky plaster, he went in the rain and stuck many, many pieces of it all over the holes in his open umbrella.

Over every hole and tear Uncle Wiggly pasted court plaster until the umbrella was as good as new.

U. S. SLEUTHS BUSY

SAN FRANCISCO, March 20.—That a bureau of the secret services of the state department is about to be established at San Francisco is the understanding which went out in federal circles here today. The work of the bureau is to be to

investigate neutrality violations, taking the responsibility from the shoulders of department of justice investigators.

It is stated that this move is a direct result of the success which the state department "flying squad" has met in New York and other eastern cities, in gathering neutrality evidence.

W. F. Flynn, chief of the treasury department's secret service, is also in charge of the work for

buying the 3-lb. can.

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General Wood entered the banquet hall, and Philippe Stephane Lausanne, editor of the *Paris Matin*, was speaking, and was giving an ovation. Lausanne said the spirit of domination, brutality and aggression of the Prussians will go when the Teutonic people feel that they are beaten. General Wood made a plea for universal military training, and expressed his


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But hist—a horrid thought
Now puckers up our brow,
The Oaks return the second week,
We'll have one anyhow.

Cantillon Gives Credit to Shea For Discovery of Walter Johnson

Blankenship Signed Great Twirler for Washington Without Seeing Him in Action, Pitcher Declares

MEMPHIS, Tenn., March 31.—It has been definitely settled who really discovered Walter Johnson. It was Joe Cantillon, who was a member of the National League, in which Manager Griffith, of the Nationals, and Joe Cantillon, pilot of the Washington Senators, both teams, played in their younger days. Shen was a member of the San Francisco club, and Griffith and Cantillon were once with Oakland.

This fact about Johnson was developed during a fanning bee between the famous pitcher and the famous manager of the Washington club when Walter was brought from the West to play for the team of the Nation's capital.

Cliff Blankenship, who was in the Washington club in the Cantillon regime,

generally credited as the pitcher's disaster. "I was a little bit nervous," he said, "but the big twirler worked for the Nationals, known as 'Shoe' Senators when Cantillon was in the majors. He was a former baseball player and his ownership took a trip to Idaho to sign John, as an emissary sent by Cantillon. I was in the clubhouse and I saw this rookie pitcher by Shea who had seen me work in the minor leagues. I was like, 'As Cantillon explained it during the confab which took place in Augusta be-

Blankenship was selected to make the trip West because he was on the hospital list with injured fingers and without proper medical care he would be going home but for some time.

It was, as also as Cantillon could recall, about the second week in July, 1907, while the Washington club was playing in the Pan American tournament. Blankenship was sent to sign John Johnson.

Here Johnson turned to Cantillon and said, "Joe, I guess I was the worst bushier that ever broke into the big league, was I?"

Cantillon replied, "No, you weren't, Walter. You had sense enough to keep your mouth shut, and that's more than most of them have."

Johnson then told of his fond of Johnson and in addition to believing that Walter is

"I can't, of course, recall the exact date of the month in which Blankenship made his visit to me," said Johnson, "but I recollect very distinctly that it was on a Friday, about the middle of July, 1907, and that I was to pitch for the best pitcher in the game, thinks he is the greatest fellow personally. Johnson and Cantillon are great woodsmen and hunters and they with Clyde Milian spent many hours in Augusta in discussing hunting, dogs and all that

PLAYING

PLAYING THE FIELD

with JACK VELOCK
INTERNATIONAL NEWS SPORTS EDITOR..

If Benny Kauff could swing at one time all of the bats he took to Marlin with him he shouldn't have much trouble in climbing over the .300 mark. He showed up

The news that Al Mamaux, pitcher for the Pirates, is to marry a former show girl and fashion model will be somewhat sad to a number of daughters of the rich who had met Mr. Mamaux socially and looked upon him as a eligible bachelor. With all his artistic attainments,

Pitcher Ed Pfeffer, who signed his contract with the Athletics for \$100,000 on March 14, is to get a bonus provided he wins 25 games. Unless some of his disgruntled teammates wake up and get behind him with a bit of snarl, Pfeffer will have no trouble doing this.

They just can't lay off Rogers Hornsby. The big third baseman is still looking for something besides a girl with money and the bride-elect is said to be a young lady with qualities that will make her a good wife and a money man's buy, even if she has worked for a living.

North Dakota is making some progress toward getting a big game law passed by the legislature and has become a law

by. The latest is that the Philadelphia club wants to trade Bert Niehoff and Milton Stock to the Cardinals for him. Manager Huggins may ask Manager Moran if he wouldn't be satisfied with Jack Miller.

again for the law. He does that ever so often. He retired while with the Cincinnati Reds, then came back with the Chicago White Sox. Now he has notified Manager Rowland that he will not report this year.

"What's the use of military training for ball players," asks Frank Bancroft, business manager of the Cincinnati Nationals. "If it took them as long to enlist as it does to sign contracts the war would be all over before they could start for the front."

Pittsburg and Brooklyn having done their fussing about the transfer of First Sack and Walsbams, the situation now resolves itself into a case where Bill Hinchman will groom himself to play first base for Pittsburg, after Mr. Adams has the owners of the realty, with the equipment, which is described as now practically worthless. The statement goes on further to state that the club now has \$30,000 in its treasury.

The advice of Johnny Evers has prevailed and Walter Marandella will plince

Ball clubs that plan to use miniature flags on the sleeves of uniforms may run up against the law which prohibits use of the national colors for advertising purposes. A ruling will be asked from

the government, and it is hoped that a concession will be made in favor of baseball.

Under the new management of the New York Red Sox—and under the new American League rule limiting passes—about 2500 Bostonese, mostly tenants of

Maranville had been so disconsolate he declared he never wanted to see a field again, but Mrs. Evers convinced him otherwise. She told how Evers, after the death of his child, had sought relief by digging into the game harder than ever.

Joe Lannin, will have to pay their way to ball games this year. Lannin had a way of distributing passes to every tenant with a receipt for rent.

A sporting goods house announces that it has put on the market a cork-lined

SPALDING BOOKINGS

The following games are booked by Spainings to be played tomorrow:

Alameda Merchants vs. Lash's Bitters at Alameda 10:30
Lehigh Valley Brooklyn Native Sons vs. Chevrolet at Lehigh Valley 10:30
Lehigh Valley Native Sons vs. Lehigh Valley at Lehigh Valley 10:30
Mon Kwack Club at Bay View No. 2 1:30; Berthons vs. Alameda All-Stars at Rushrod 10:30

Fans often cry for a chance to get in on the profits of a ball team, but the popular stock subscription plan for buying the St. Louis Cardinals doesn't seem any more of a success so far than was the proposition Charles Ebbebs made to

The Brooklyn club has reported Tom Fitzsimmons, its recruit from the Northern League, on the suspended list.

President Ebbets offered him the full increase of 25 per cent the rules allowed to a rookie and a bonus was to be paid him for signing, thus stretching the law. But Fitzsimmons thought he should have a Maranville salary right off the reel and

John McGraw is going to have a hard time with this signals this season. They say it was as if a team that he has never seen. Now that Mathewson alphabet scheme. Now that Mathewson alphabet the Reds and Larry Doyle with

the Cubs, McGraw will have to change his style. When McGraw is shouting at a player and shaking his fist at him, he is giving a signal according to the way his fingers are held.

The new owners of the St. Louis Cardinals are the following: 2, 1:13:30; McGraw's Feet vs. South Berkeley Merchants, at Fremont high, 2:30; Money-Bark vs. St. Louis, at St. Louis, 2:30; 2:30; 1:13:30; Santa Fe 1, A vs. Washington, 2:30; at Bushrod No. 2, 1:30; San Leandro Lumberjacks vs. Union Trust Co., at San Leandro, 2:30; Superiors vs. Roamers, at McKinley park, 2:30;

Grays vs. V. M. 1. of San Rafael, at Peralta park, Berkeley, 2.

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ready to start something whether he had cause or not.

President Walter Morris of the Texas League seems to have caught the drift of the argument put up by President Al Kearney of the Three I. Reports from

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EARNINGS ARE MADE ISSUE OF HEARING

The earning power of the East Bay Water Company became an issue in the State Railroad Commission's inquiry into the local water rate situation yesterday when J. C. Herman, engineer for the company was questioned by Attorney John S. Partridge, special counsel for the city of Oakland on the amount of profit the company figured over and above its expenses for past years.

Herman's figures were exclusive of the bond situation of the company, and amounted to less than \$26,000 per annum for a considerable period. On the strength of this showing, Partridge outlined to the commission the attitude of the allied municipalities interested in the hearing, in objecting to the admission of a growing value to the company where the earning power was not over that amount yearly.

CONTEST OVER CLAUSE.
The East Bay Water Company has asked that the Commission in figuring total valuations, include a growing value estimate of \$1,250,000. Oakland and sister communities have been consistently trying to have this item eliminated, thereby reducing the final total upon which the water rate for the east bay district will be figured. That the actual earning power was small was admitted by Herman, but he declared in his testimony that expectancy of earning power should be considered in the computations, in which case the company would be entitled to the growing value estimate.

F. J. Lipman, vice-president of Wells Fargo National Bank of San Francisco and one of the best known bond and interest experts on the Pacific Coast, testified at last night's session of the commission on interest rates in relation to the cost of capital for public utilities. His testimony is designed to lay a foundation for the city of Oakland. The commission's determinations on matters of working capital allowance, which, according to Attorney Wigginton Creed of the East Bay Water Company, should represent \$300,000.

EDGERTON UNCERTAIN.
At the conclusion of Lipman's testimony, Commissioner Edwin O. Edgerton, before whom the hearing is being held, declared that he was not sure in his own mind just what the percentage allowance of the East Bay Water Company should be under existing conditions. "I consider that this water company has had a most remarkable financial history," he said.

NEW PASTOR TO OCCUPY PULPIT

Rev. Frank M. Sisley, the pastor-elect of the First Presbyterian Church, will preach his first sermons as pastor of the church tomorrow, morning and evening. In the morning he will preach a Palm Sunday sermon on "Glorifying in the Cross." Dr. Sisley comes from a very successful pastorate in Seattle, where for six years he was pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, and increased the membership of the church from 100 to 1100. While in the Northern city he was president of the Ministerial Federation, an organization of 150 Protestant churches. He was connected with the Municipal League, an organization for civic improvement.

Dr. Sisley is known as a "man's" preacher, and his churches in Seattle, Wash., and Pittsburg, Pa., where he has held pastorates were attended by an unusual number of men. The leading business and professional men in both these cities give the strongest testimonials for him.

Before he left Seattle, according to Seattle papers, he was given a luncheon by the ministers of the city, in which a minute setting forth their esteem for Dr. Sisley was passed. The First Church, through its pulpit committee, of which Frank M. Greenwood was chairman, searched the entire church for a successor to Dr. Frank L. Goodspeed, and was unanimous in its selection of Dr. Sisley. Dr. Sisley's family will not come to Oakland until the close of the school year.

TENDER SERVICES
In the absence of Captain Samuel Waldo Reynolds of the First Aero Company of California with headquarters in this city, Lieutenant L. B. Gross yesterday tendered the services of the Aero Company to the militia bureau of the Western department at San Francisco, and in the meantime will prepare the company ready to answer a call at any time.

The First Aero Company is an Oakland organization of forty-five men, skilled in the various branches of aeronautics, gas engine work, and are at present recruited up to the full requirement.

The following are members of the aero company: Captain S. W. Reynolds, First Lieut. Roy H. Nedderman, Byron Paul and L. B. Gross; enlisted personnel, C. Kanouse, H. C. Brunsch, E. H. Sherman, S. W. Cordy, H. C. Wolfe, H. B. Davis, A. L. Garland, G. W. Corgiat, S. J. Lewis, E. Bowen, H. R. Bird, P. H. Neilson, E. G. Daniels, W. E. Andrews, R. Y. MacIntyre, N. L. Lorenzen, H. Madden, W. A. Hirschler, H. Vierra, H. Sargent, C. M. Rose, C. Grunsky, M. E. Emerson, P. P. Thrall, F. M. Gustafson, L. D. Kennedy, P. Sootheran, R. Mitchell, H. Woolley, H. Macdonald, G. Horney, L. J. Reid, E. P. Delaney, J. R. Hunter, H. Goldstein, J. P. Degan, W. E. Bartch, E. Stoller, G. W. Yost and Frank Marks.

PLAN AUTO NIGHT

Automobile dealers will be guests at an "auto night" to be held by the Roger Williams League, a men's club of the First Baptist Church, on Tuesday evening, April 10. Otto Reihl, an automobile agent, will speak on the automobile industry. F. B. Cook, Dr. W. R. Reid, Mrs. Mary C. Thompson, and Miss Bessie Wood, Baptist candidates for primary elections April 17, will give short addresses. J. L. Bohba will give an address on solo and Messrs. Welch and Wigginton will render selections on the radio and piano. Automobile accessories will form the hall decorations and the best auto jokes will be passed around. The league now has a membership of more than 100.

HOPPE BOXES DRAW.
SACRAMENTO, March 31.—Willie Hoppe, former four-round boxing king of the Pacific Coast, who was knocked out by Sammy Good, also of San Francisco, several weeks ago, has regained some of his lost laurels today through battling to a Goode in a return bout here last night.

Joe Benjamin, Portland featherweight, won decision over Willie G. Chaire of Sacramento; Salinas Jack Robinson of San Francisco, got a decision over Eddie King of Sacramento; Russ Fisher of Sacramento defeated Eddie White of San Francisco.

Prize Winners for Best Telegram Writers in Contest Announced in The Tribune, March 24, 1917

FIRST PRIZE—Jean D. Millar, 862 54th St., Oakland, \$7.00 order on Friedman's Cloak & Suit Co., 533 14th St., Oakland.

SECOND PRIZE—Mrs. E. O. Burge, 720 40th St., Oakland, \$6.00 order on Kohler & Chase, 535 14th St.

THIRD PRIZE—Ina S. Hunter, 123 Lake St., Oakland, \$5.00 order on Polytechnic Business College.

FOURTH PRIZE—Alice L. Zwillinger, 2315 23d Avenue, Oakland, \$4.00 order on Walnut Grove Creamery, 41st and Market streets.

FIFTH PRIZE—Lucille Waller, 806 Arlington Ave., Oakland, \$3.00 order on Edgar H. Barber Co., Stationers, 14th and Broadway.

SIXTH PRIZE—Miss Dorothy Davis, 541 29th St., Oakland, \$2.00 order on Central Savings Bank, Oakland.

SEVENTH PRIZE—Mrs. Russell C. Pounty, 2609 13th Avenue, Oakland, \$1.00 order on Friedman's, 533 14th Street.

EIGHTH PRIZE—Miss Mildred Bierwirth, 3121 School St., Oakland, \$1.00 order on Kinema Theater, 15th and Broadway.

NINTH PRIZE—Mrs. E. F. Wolff, 2743 Chestnut St., Oakland, \$1.00 order on Oakland Phonograph Co., 473 12th St.

TENTH PRIZE—Mignonette Hardeman, 939 61st St., Oakland, \$1.00 order on Hotel Oakland.

ELEVENTH PRIZE—W. C. Koch, 1309 Bonita Ave., Berkeley, \$1.00 on Cut Rate Shoe Factory, 1604 San Pablo Ave., Oakland.

TWELFTH PRIZE—Mrs. M. Quinn, 4238 Howe St., Oakland, \$1.00 order on Realty Syndicate.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

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Richmond, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Oakland Phonograph Co.,

An Exclusive Phonograph Shop,

473 12th St., Bacon Bldg., Oakland:

Victrola, just unpacked, greatly improves appearance of our home. Please send another dozen and one-half records, last eighteen being superfine. Hurry same so they will be in time for big neighborhood party which means a good advertisement. Sister appreciates easy payment plan on her Edison Diamond Disc.

W. A. MARK.

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Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Mr. Will D'LAY,

Failure, Ariz.:

For Two Thousand Dollars can buy fine business in Oakland immediately. Opportunity now or never. I have One Thousand Dollars deposited in Central Savings Bank. If you have not like amount, I have another friend anxious to join me. Answer quick.

KEEN FORESIGHT,

Alert Street, Oakland, Calif.

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Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Mr. R. U. Wideawake,

Enterprise, Cal.:

Government, railroads, commercial and wireless companies short operators. Professor Mora, wireless telegraphy, at Polytechnic College, official Marconi School, organizing class forty students immediately, guaranteeing positions. Morse and wireless mastered in six months. Cost seventy-five Dollars. Recently placed six boys. Wire, meet you at train. Address

POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE,
1310 Madison St., Oakland.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

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Lakeport, Calif., March 26, 1917.

Henry Boles,

1400 Alice Street,

Oakland, Calif.:

Have my extra shoes repaired, Everwear Leather, Cut Rate Shoe Factory, Sixteen Naught Four, San Pablo Avenue, near Sixteenth. Rush work. Have regular fifty-cent rubber heels attached, for which they ask forty cents. Leave for six-week trip. Must have good foot protection. For courteous treatment, see Manager S. J. Gray.

JOE.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Rob McGregor,

Hotel Vanderbilt,

New York:

Have suggested FRIEDMAN'S, Oakland's Style Center, Five Hundred Thirty-three Fourteenth Street, to relieve wife's perplexity regarding best place to purchase Easter outfit. Particular people trade there. Better instruct her my decision O. K. Having real California weather, great for Bobbie Junior. Are you coming West soon?

SISTER ELLEN.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

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Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Mrs. William Smith,

Tuolumne County, Calif.:

WALNUT GROVE PASTEURIZED MILK responsible Baby weighing thirty-six pounds and only eleven months old. Can only show appreciation by allowing them to use Baby's pictures advertisements in street cars. Have moved Four Hundred and Ninety Forty-first Street, better bring sick Baby and stay with me.

GRACE.

GRACE.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

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Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Maude De Rand,

Hotel Biltmore,

New York:

Friends in South recommended Hotel OAKLAND, suggesting staying on sunny side San Francisco Bay, account scenic charm, good roads and other advantages. Know you will enjoy dinner dances Saturday evenings. Superb music. Reserved charming two-room apartment with bath, overlooking Lake Merritt for you next Monday. Welcome.

LAURA BINGHAM.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Mrs. Will B. Happy,

Livermore, Cal.:

REALTY SYNDICATE COMPANY advertise in TRIBUNE they will build to suit on ten per cent down and one per cent per month, with plenty of lots to choose from, so would advice investigation before buying ready-built house. Lovingly,

GRACE.

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Stockton, Calif., March 28, 1917.

Miss Smart Style,

Hotel Oakland,

Oakland, Calif.:

Your good judgment to be congratulated. FRIEDMAN'S, Five Hundred Thirty-three Fourteenth Street, Oakland, the shop specializing on style and smartness at moderate prices, is proper place to select your Easter Suit. Will meet you Saturday morning nine thirty. Love to Jack.

AIMEE.

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Piedmont, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Miss R. U. Stylish,

Oakland, Calif.:

Be sure and buy all Wedding Invitations and Announcements from "Oakland's Largest Stationers," Edgar H. Barber Company, real service store of Oakland, as they have splendid stock of up-to-date stationery. Wedding on April Fool's day.

MISS WOOD B. BRIDE.

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Oakland, Cal., March 28, 1917.

Mrs. E. L. Pierce,

San Jose, Calif.:

Would advise not getting player-piano you contemplated, as have just bought from KOHLER & CHASE, Five Hundred Thirty-five Fourteenth Street, Oakland, a SOLOELLE, enabling me to produce the gems of the great artists in all tone color.

A. G. JUDGE.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

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New York, March 27, 1917.

Mayor Davie,

City Hall,

Oakland, Calif.:

Saw most remarkable Cinema drama of New York's Theater season, featuring Clara Kimball Young, at Rialto Theater, entitled "The Common Law" by Robert W. Chambers, dealing with question "Is Marriage Necessary?" Play starts at Oakland Kinema Theater, Sunday, April First. Don't miss this.

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City Hall.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1917.

A GREAT PROJECT.

Announcement of the Union Iron Works to ex-
pend \$5,000,000 in additions to its shipbuilding
plant on the Alameda side of the estuary, published
exclusively in yesterday's TRIBUNE and described in
greater detail today, heralds the most important
industrial establishment on the Pacific Coast and
one of the largest planned in the United States
within the last few years.

This concern has acquired ninety acres additional
to its present site and will equip its plant to con-
struct vessels up to 1000 feet in length, the largest
type of merchant and naval craft now known. It
will give Alameda county the largest shipbuilding
plant in the United States.

The influences of this establishing
estuary will be far-reaching. Being one of the
several great plants owned by the Bethlehem Steel
Company, it will, local conditions being favorable,
always be busy. The shape of the world's ship-
building which the Schwab corporation is able to
secure and undertake is a guarantee of this. The
biggest battleships are a guarantee of this. The
constructed on the east shore of the bay. The
volume of business which the enlarged plant will
lead to justify its creation will require
millions of tons of steel, which probably will
lead to the early establishment of a plate rolling
and other auxiliary plants in this community.

The transportation of raw materials, by rail and
water, insure a large increase in the shipping busi-
ness of the harbor, and the several thousand em-
ployees necessary to the operation of the plant will
mean new homes and home-builders on this side of
the bay. It will mean the definite shifting of the
industrial center of the metropolitan district to the
east shore.

The constructive policy which Alameda adopted
with reference to new industries and the cordial
welcome that city has extended to outside capital
are being rewarded in abundant measure.

THE POLICY OF CONSPIRACY.

Discoveries of Teutonic conspiracies in Latin
America against the peace of the United States
should no longer occasion surprise. The policy of
assaults upon a friendly nation, and particularly
of incitement of friendly governments to war
against the United States, has been deliberately
formulated and put into execution by the German
government. It has been accurately and brazenly
described by the German foreign minister, approved
by the German parliament and endorsed by the
German press under government domination.

General Julian Irias, whose arrest in New
Orleans yesterday disclosed that a plot had been
hatched in Berlin to overthrow all Central Ameri-
can governments and to convert these nations into
armed enemies of this country, is the type of poli-
tician ready to be molded to suit German war
politics. Defeated candidates and potential usurp-
ers of government powers are as prevalent in Cen-
tral America as disloyalty is among the senators
from Missouri and Wisconsin. In aiding their
schemes, Germany is not only conspiring against
the United States; she is aiming to destroy the
peace of the whole Western Hemisphere.

Stories of fresh devastation of oil fields property
and the murder of American and English citizens
in Mexico are probably inexact when they refer to
these outrages as bandit raids. It is more than
probable that they are carefully calculated acts in
Germany's warfare. It is no longer reasonable to
believe that the food riots in New York and Chicago
are due to any lack of food or exorbitant prices;
they are encouraged by enemies of the United
States.

It will be the first duty of Congress when it
assembles next Monday to take quick and decisive
action that will clothe the government with authori-
ty to deal with treason and national enemies ac-
cording to the rules of warfare. Delay will, as it
has always done, increase the perils of the country
and make defense more difficult when the pacifists
awake and the Tories are convicted.

ONLY EASE-LOVING.

Hon. Kenesaw Mountain Landis, federal judge
of Chicago, is quoted in a despatch as saying that
the United States is a nation of cowards. This
spectacular jurist is as extravagant in discussing
national morals as he is extreme in some of his
judicial decisions. His ideas on the question of
this subject are comparable to his acts in imposing
a fine of \$28,000,000 on the Standard Oil Company
and of 1 cent on a railroad offending against the
rebate prohibition.

We are not a nation of cowards. As a people

we may display an inordinate love for the easy
things and the easiest way of living our life. We
know little of hardships and consequently are ten-
der when facing them; we like the soft places and
seek them out; we are eternally trying to cultivate
an intimacy with luxuries. And we are guilty of
placing ideals of justice and honor at a ridiculously
low value compared to the physical comforts which
have been attained. We may have fallen so deeply
in love with untroubled prosperity and riches as
to become short-sighted and indifferent to the
future, and prone to let George do the heavy work.
But Americans are not cowards; there is no such
thing as a nation of cowards: Man is the same the
world over at heart, only in some regions it requires
a rude shock to awaken his consciousness to
dangers.

AS TO MONUMENTS.

China is going to erect a monument to com-
memorate the service rendered it by the late John
Hay, former Secretary of State, an honor which
has never been accorded any other foreign states-
man except in compliance with a sentence of pun-
ishment and indignity, as was the case of the Von
Ketteler arch at Peking. The Chinese people be-
lieve that Mr. Hay saved their country from dis-
memberment when the great powers of Europe
were upon the point of establishing separate
"spheres of influence" within their territory.

These would have in reality been zones for the
exercise of foreign sovereignty and the prosecution
of commercial, industrial and political schemes
for the exploitation of China and her people. Mr.
Hay intervened with the "open door" policy and
brought about the abandonment of foreign plots
against Chinese integrity. Through him the United
States actively entered the field of foreign diplo-
macy and made other foreign nations manifest a
greater measure of respect than ever before for
the rights of the Chinese in their own homes.
Through Mr. Hay this country for a while became
a real friend of China, and the erection of a monu-
ment to his memory might be an appropriate
recognition of the dead statesman's policy and acts.

But once China starts the erection of monu-
ments to foreigners, she will be in for a big and
interminable job. For instance, there is Mr.
Philander C. Knox, who permitted Russia to trans-
gress the Hay policy by asserting its right to terri-
torial jurisdiction along the line of the Far Eastern
railroad concession from Harbin southward. There
is also Mr. Elihu Root, who, as Secretary of State,
negotiated with Japan, against the pained protests
of China, a treaty by which the Tokyo government
has been permitted to throw a cloak of legality
around her many violations of the China "open
door." Then there is Mr. William J. Bryan, who
repudiated everything and abandoned all that Mr.
Hay had accomplished, who withdrew the govern-
ment of the United States from Far Eastern diplo-
macy and every advantage point from which it might
protect China from her predatory foreign enemies.

However, some informed leader of Chinese
thought may justify omission to dedicate monu-
ments to these other individuals by claiming that
his country distinguishes between those who do
for China and those who do China.

A trained and ready army of 3,500,000 men, such
as is contemplated under universal military train-
ing, would cost about \$430,000,000 annually, or a
per capita cost of \$4.30. Those who have argued
that this is a tremendous expense may be reminded
that the cafes and cabarets of New York City's
white light district cost \$707,000,000 a year, or a
sum equal to a per capita cost of \$7.07 for the entire
country. The United States is a nation of big
things and costs are only relative.

AMERICA'S REAL PREPAREDNESS.

(Washington Post.)

The best preparation against a foe who is determined
to make war is the rising spirit of the nation. The
preparation of the heart and will is much further
advanced than is indicated by any action that Congress
or the administration has taken. The government is far
behind the people. They have done and are now doing
more to defeat Germany than the government has
thought of doing.

The people are not bound. Their energy is unfettered,
and they are free to develop and perfect any plan or
device their ingenuity suggests. Because of this fact the
Council of National Defense, not being bound by law,
and acting mainly through individuals not connected
with the government, is assembling colossal forces for
the struggle with Germany.

The council is able to deal directly with the business
men of the country. Persons and corporations who are
unable to give their services or resources to the govern-
ment under existing law and red tape are perfectly free
to deal with the Council of National Defense. Conse-
quently the council can turn to account the practical ap-
plication of the intense patriotism that is sweeping the
country.

The men who constitute the business element of Ameri-
can life are rallying behind the government with splen-
did spirit. They are placing at the disposal of the govern-
ment resources and equipment that cannot be equalled
anywhere else in the world, either as to variety or
amount. Even if Germany were free to import steel,
copper, coal, railway material, chemicals, explosives, au-
tomobiles, ships, airplanes, horses, mules, shoes, leather,
rubber, nickel, foodstuffs, surgical supplies, and all other
materials and munitions of war, she could not obtain
more than a fraction of the immense supply that is now
at the disposal of the United States.

Thousands of factories are ready to turn out supplies
for the United States at cost or small profit. There will
be no "war profits." Some of the greatest industries have
already pooled their resources and offered them to the
government at the government's own price. All the
others are now communicating with the Council of National
Defense with the same patriotic object.

The inventive genius of America is stimulated and
aroused by the emergency. The brains that originated
the airplane and submarine and machine gun are at
work on new inventions. Some of this genius is inherited
from Germany itself. Other minds have contributed to
the stock.

In the field of industry is a wonderful supply of brains,
originality, initiative and resource that will be at the
service of the United States. This country has unequalled
resources of manhood as well as material. This manhood
is capable of organizing modern warfare on a scale that
Europe has not yet seen.

NOTES and COMMENT

Kentucky has long been noted for
her celebrities. The latest is a hen
which has laid 83 eggs in 83 days.
Some of her celebrities have not done
as well as that.

Not only crowned heads but admin-
istration officials are having an un-
easy time of it in Europe. Gustav
of Sweden now has to have a new set
of advisers. And all the Hammarskjold
cabinet had been doing was to saw
wood.

Market quotations from the Gold-
field News: "Claude C. Cate, county
pathologist, stopped here Friday and
left a supply of poisoned barley at the
drug store for sale at cost, or 6 cents
per pound."

The Red Bluff News recognizes the
qualifications of a contemporary: "A
Marysville editor has signed out as
publicity man with a circus. His
recommendation for such a gay and
giddy career is that he formerly
worked on Redding, Chico, Sacra-
mento and Marysville papers. The
experience seems sufficient for entrance
to a circus career."

Wheat at \$1.99 a bushel must make
some of the old-timers of the Middle
West hark back to the time when
they hauled it long distances and
sold it for 40 cents. Also when a wagon
load of corn could be bought for \$2.

One thing seems to have been ac-
complished by the war prospect, and
that is a falling off in interest in game
legislation. The Fish and Game Com-
mission has been crowded off the
pedestal for the time being by Mars.

A Marysville paper calls attention to
a similarity: "Marysville and Oak-
land are in the same class. In both
cities the chief of police is an orator.
It has been a dull day lately that
Chief Smith hasn't welcomed a delega-
tion of men to 'our city.'"

Fourteen high school girls of Gold
Hill, Oregon, have formed an anti-
cigarette club, with a motto, "Sparks
but No Smoke."

Haig's troops have taken three
more villages near St. Quentin. That
to say, he has taken the place where
the villages formerly stood. The peo-
ple and houses and other parapher-
nalia that add considerably to the
realism of villages have been destroyed
or carried off.

The successful celebration of the
anniversary of the Ax at Berkeley, and
the painting red of the big C by
Stanford, indicate that educational
affairs at California's two great insti-
tutions of learning are on an upward
trend. Things had been quite hum-
drum for several years.

The Marysville Appeal announces the
arrival of spring: "Ah, spring, beau-
tiful, bountiful spring, hath arrived.
We know it because a spring poem
has been published and Henry Neib-
ling yesterday donned one of his
short-sleeved shirts."

A direct squirrel tax has been de-
feated. But a vote of 33 to 25 shows
that it had strength. The squirrel is
a nuisance which seems to thrive
when it becomes of value as a corpse.

How the legislative mind is work-
ing overtime in searching out things to
make laws for or against is illustrated
in the Baldwin bill, which provides
that twenty minutes a day shall be
devoted to physical culture in the
schools; that animal and bird life
shall be studied; that household eco-
nomics shall be taught if there are
teachers enough. An amendment to
eliminate home work was defeated.

The federal treasury department has
inaugurated a campaign to induce
States to enact bills to inhibit the
sale of "cigarettes, opium, birds, of
paradise, gourna and nurnid." That
ought to be a sort of godsend to those
legislators who were unning short of
subjects to frame "you mustn't" bills
around.

A good many people on both sides
of the question are now wondering
what will be the ultimate effect of
the defeat of the Rominger bill.

Peace propagandists plan a demon-
stration at Washington on Monday
when Congress meets. The peace
propagandists have a very imperfect
conception of the time, the place and
the occasion.

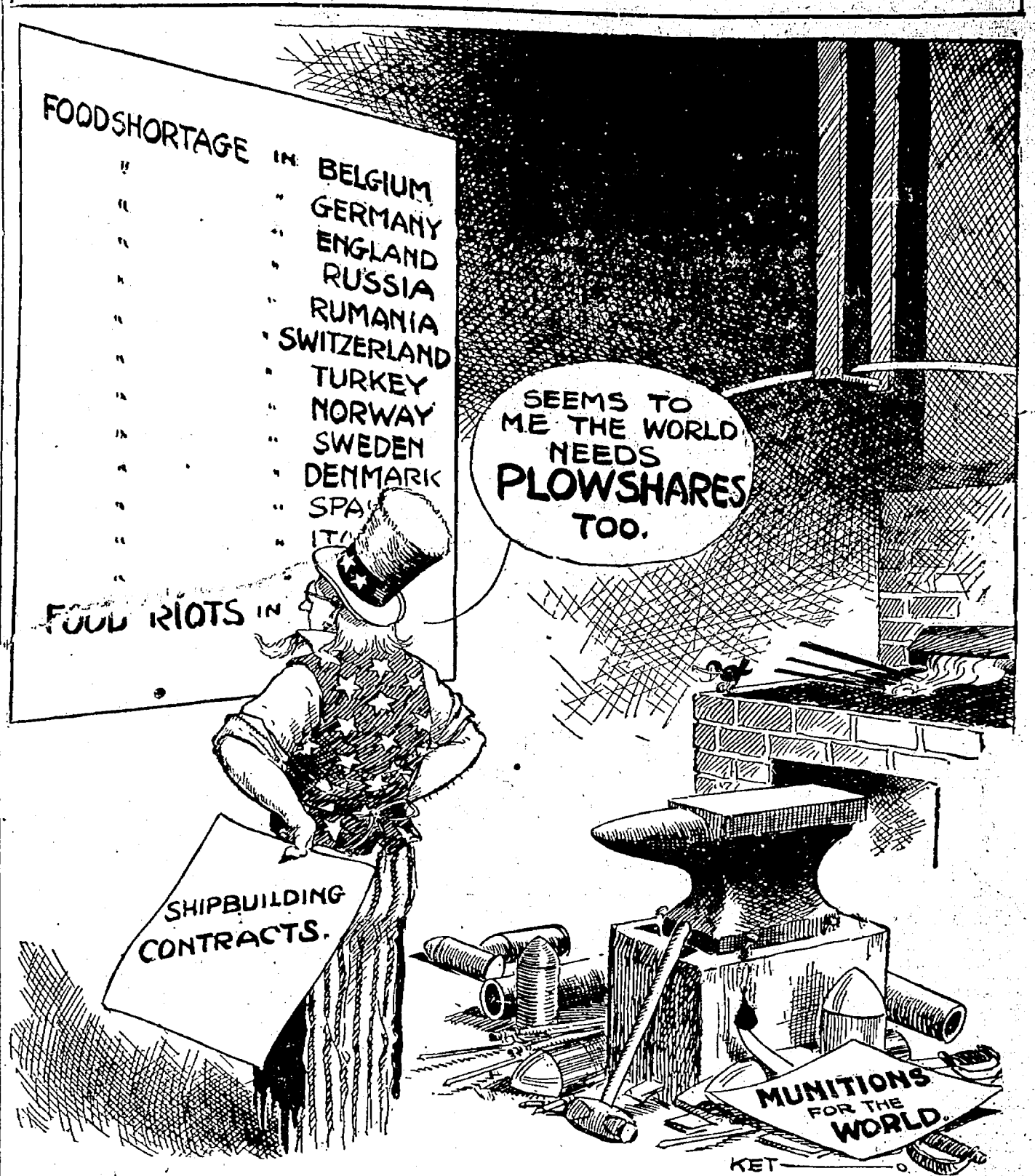
SPIRIT OF THE STATE PRESS

Governor Stephens' first message to
the people of California came at a
time when Californians will be most
pleased to know that a cool head is
at the helm at Sacramento. While
pointing out forcibly that our State
must be put in a posture of defense
at once, Governor Stephens also
exhorted the administration leaders
to make a single appropriation that
might be demanded at this time. He intimated
that if there is any money to be spent
at all, it had best be conserved for
use in defense of the bulwark State
of western United States.—Hanford
Sentinel.

That there is profit in hog raising
is attested by the \$12.70 price paid
at the recent auction. There is also
money in alfalfa this year, the price
having soared to \$18.50 to \$21.50.
Shipments are very light and farmers
who held their hay for a good price
are realizing handsome returns. One
Weed Patch farmer netted \$16 a ton
for 260 tons. Alfalfa is a crop espe-
cially adapted to Kern county soil and
water conditions and there is virtual
certainty that the price will be high
this year and next.—Bakersfield Echo.

Out on the road towards Trinidad,
about half a mile south of McKinley-
ville, on the east side of the road,
nine former subjects of good Queen
Wilhelmina are busy showing the
passersby what they with their experi-
ence are able to do raising flowers
on California soil and in a California
climate. Charles Willis Ward is the
discoverer of this new possibility for
Humboldt county, and as he never
does anything by halves, he secured
both the Holland roots and the Hol-
landers to plant the roots, and the
result is one of the finest floral ex-
hibits to be seen anywhere in the
country, and the finest tulip and bulb
floral exhibition that the United States
contains.—Eureka Standard.

READY TO SWITCH ANY TIME.



THE FORUM

The Editor of The Tribune disclaims responsibility for opinions and statements expressed in this column. Brief contributions on current topics of general interest are welcome. They will not be printed unless accompanied by the name of the writer, which, if desired, will be withheld from publication.

A REPLY.

To the Editor of The Tribune:

Kindly permit me to answer your correspondent, G. F. Crowther, in reference to his letter of the 28th inst.

First—There is no necessity for two separate and distinct governments for the north and south of Ireland, no more so than there is for two distinct and separate forms of government for the northern and southern parts of the State of California. Evidently the part of Ireland that your correspondent calls the north is the so-called north represented by the six of the thirty-two counties of which Ireland is comprised.

Second—In the near future, all monarchies of Europe, both kings and emperors, absolute and limited, will be swept aside and a representative form (i. e., republican) of government substituted; therefore, the handwriting is on the wall, as evidenced by recent events in Russia.

Third—I did not allude to the country that your correspondent, by innuendo, referred to as the headquarters of Roger Casement. The said country was also the headquarters for the so-called leader of the north in the memorable year of 1914, when he and his cohorts purchased rifles and ammunition in that country to prevent the home rule bill from becoming effective. For his part in that affair, Sir Edward Carson was rewarded with a seat in the English cabinet, while Roger Casement was rewarded with the hangman's noose. I believe, however, that all fair-minded Americans and historians would not ascribe men who give up their lives for a principle so vital as that of liberty, and if your correspondent believes that Emmet, Casement, Pearce, Connolly, Plunkett et al. were aggressive, treacherous and mischievous, he evidently means to place in the same category those who forfeited their lives in the founding of the thirteen original colonies.

Respectfully,
JAMES C. WALSH,
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March 27.

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TODAY 20 YEARS AGO

A reception was given by Mrs. H. S. Morris, 1105 Jackson street, to the delegates to the Women's Occidental Board of Foreign Missions.

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Reynolds will leave this evening for New York. The Oakland High School team to contest in the big field day on April 17 is being selected from the athletes who scored the best at the tryout held on the campus Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Beelman and daughter of Chicago are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fox.

The state normal schools have been placed in the hands of a board of control, for the governor signed yesterday the Public bill.

THE FOG.

Up from the wasting snows of March
Still sheeting yale and hill,
The thick white fog, the ghostly fog,
Arises damp and chill.
It wraps the wood and laps the field,
And folds the weather vane,
And hangs a tear on every bush
Along the country lane.

A thing we see but cannot grasp,
It glides along the ground,
And hovers in the sunless air,
And all without a sound.
'Tis fitting from the lighthouse tower
The warning bell should toll,
For lo! this pale and clammy mist
Is Winter's passing soul.
—Minna Irving, in New York Sun.

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Pipe Organ.

THE JESTER

Not Prossed.
Vietnam—He done me out of \$10, judge.
Judge—Release the prisoner. The act
charged against him is grammatically
impossible. Call the next case.—Boston
Transcript.

Poor Management.
Hicks—By the way, they have triplets
up at Quiver's.
Wicks—Isn't that rather poor manage-
ment for a family living in a flat?—Bos-
ton Transcript.

An Overt Act.
We only ask the weather powers not
to permit the mercury to sink without
warning.—Brooklyn Eagle.

He Knew.
Willie Willis—What are "pieces of ar-
tillery," pal?
Fags Willis—I think they must be the
idea that the girl next door plays on the
piano.—New York Times.

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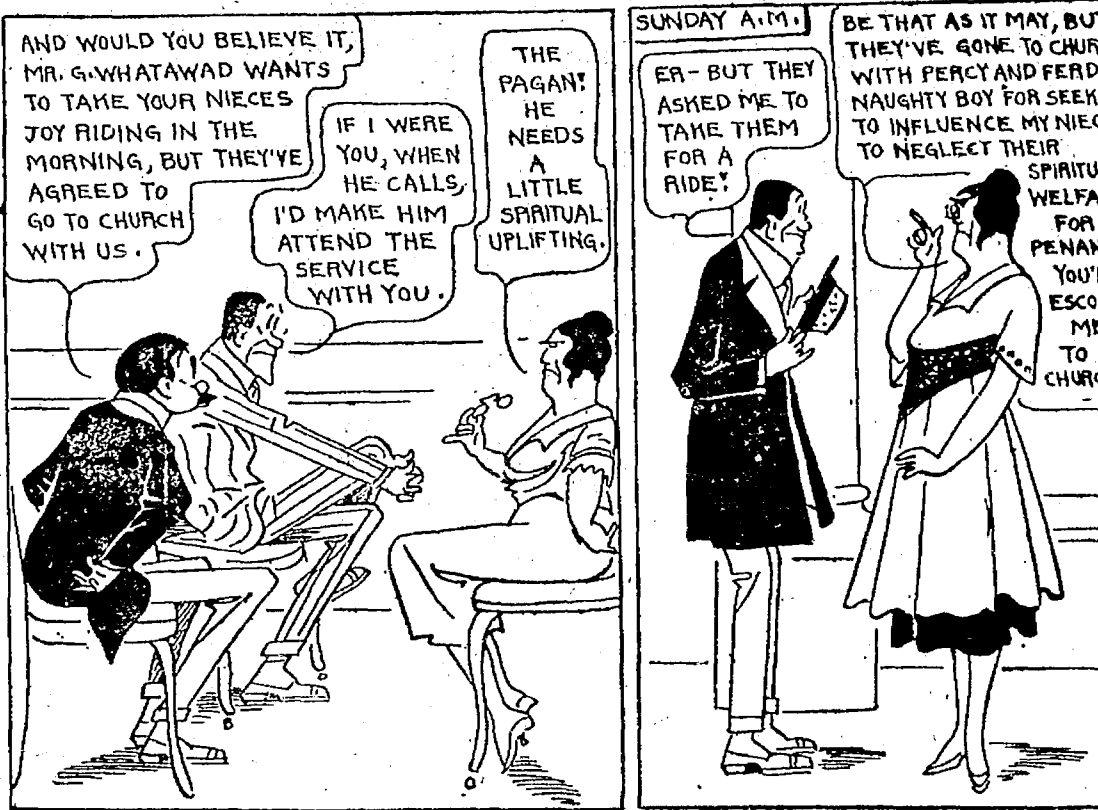
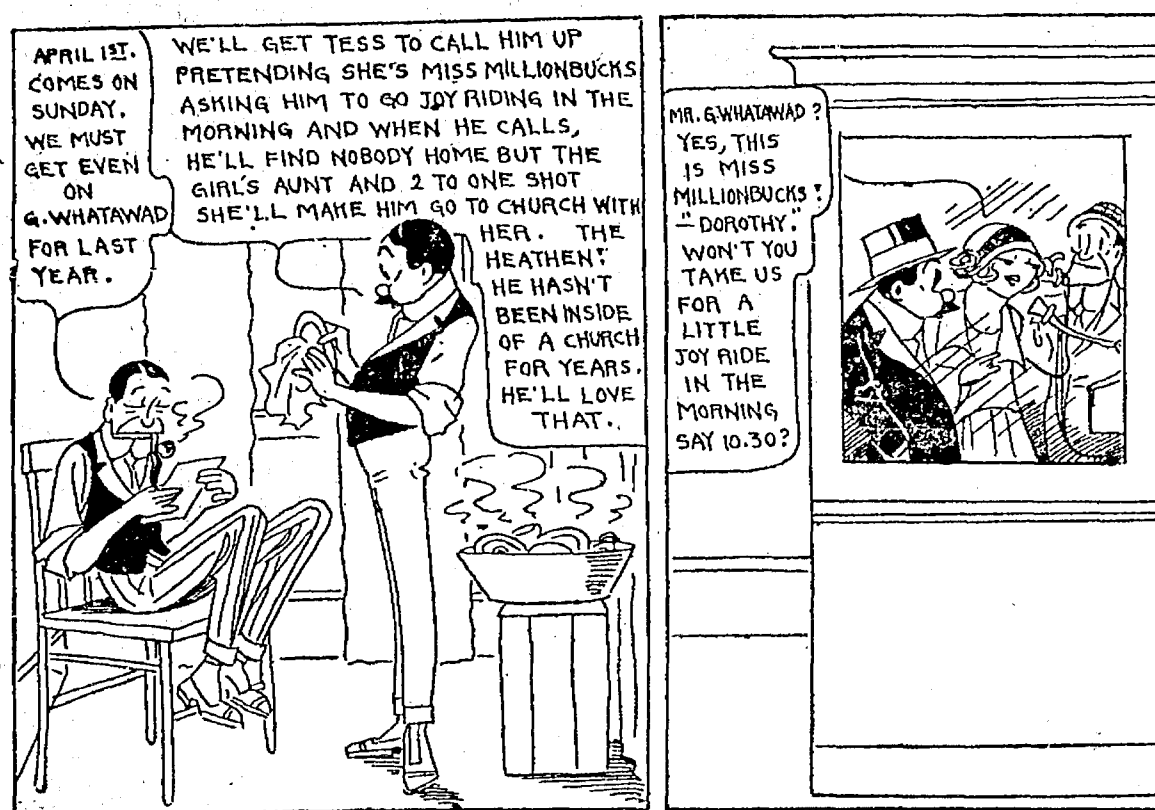
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WHEAT TAKES BIG

JUMP ON MARKET

CHICAGO, March 31.—Wheat vaulted to nearly \$2 a bushel in the last week, May options reaching 31.98¢, the top-most record.

Estimates that abandonment of winter crop territory would amount to a loss of 22% of the territory.

the heaviest total ever known, expected once, did much at the outset to establish full control of wheat prices. Buying was also encouraged because of prospects of increased co-operation of the United States in supplying foodstuffs to the entente nations. Snow flurries in Kansas and Nebraska, however, offset to some extent on Monday the effect of alarming crop reports, which had rushed prices sharply upward and had led to prediction of a United States government report in April that the crop condition at one of the lowest points in many years. Argentine prohibition of

Excitement over crop damage reports, especially as to the outlook in Southern Nebraska, became intense on Thursday, and wheat trading was witnessed. Yesterday, though, the market eased off to a noticeable extent on account of reports of rains that would somewhat relieve the drought in Nebraska and in Kansas, as well.

CORN ascended with wheat. All 2-1/2-

...in the San Joaquin valley or Mendocino districts as yet.

RIED FRUITS.

PRUNES (bulk baskets)—70s to 40s. 45¢ to 40s. to 50s. 45¢ to 50s. to 60s. 75¢ to 70s. 75¢ to 80s. 75¢ to 80s. 75¢ to 100s. 85¢.

All basis 30 boxes unfavored.

Standard.	Ord.	Choice.	Extra.
Apriots 18 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	18 1/2
Apric 8 1/2	8 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Pears 8 1/2	8 1/2	9 1/2	10 1/2

The California Peach Growers' Company has

the following prices on fancy Muns.

Following are also quoted by the California Peach Growers' Association. These prices are subject to advance without notice and are

all hawks 50-lb boxes unfaced.	Extra
Peaches. Standard, Clinlee, Fancy, Fancy	
yellow, 100 lbs. 74c	75c
Choice, peeled peaches, 100-lbs. 75c	80c
ungraded, original bags, yellow, 75c	80c
75c.	80c

RAISINS—California Associated Raisin Com-
pany, guaranteed to April 1: Seedling-
Fancy, 50 lbs. 32.50; Standard, 50 lbs. 32.50;
32.50; do. 46 No. 124, 32.50; do. bulk, 25-lb
boxes, \$1.75; Loose Muscatels—crown, 50-lb
boxes, \$3.75; do. 2-rowan, \$4.50; do. 2-rowan,
\$3.25; do. 1-rowan, \$4.00; do. 1-rowan, \$3.50;
50-lb boxes, ; do. Sultanas.

LOCAL SUGAR MARKET.
Retail dealers who buy in smaller lots than the above are charged an additional 15¢ per 100 lb. above the market quotation.

Sugar.—The Western Sugar and Refining Co. quotes net prices on granulated sugar in 50-lb. bags, except when otherwise noted, as follows:
Western extra fine granulated, \$7.50; fruit granulated, \$7.00; canners' granulated, \$7.00; Minnesota, \$7.00.

lo, in 25-lb boxes, \$8.00; cubes, \$9; half cubes, \$8.75; half cubes, wooden cases, 12 5-lb cartons, \$6.50; half cubes, wooden cases, 30 2-lb cartons, \$10.25; Monarch powdered sugar, 50 lb, \$10.00; brown sugar, \$7.75; confectioners' A, \$7.50; best granulated, \$7.50; extra C, \$7.10; Golden C, \$7.10; \$8.00.

Prices named are for jobbers and manufacturers in California, Oregon, Washington, North Carolina, Southern Idaho west of Pocatello and Nevada, and Arizona and San Francisco.

The California and Hawaiian Sugar Refining Company quotes net prices on granulated sugar as follows: Standard, 100 lbs., when otherwise noted, as follows:

Granulated paste, 80° fine, \$7.00; coarse granulated, \$7.00; standard, \$7.00; coarse dry granulated, \$7.50;

CUBANA A. \$7.00; berry, \$7.50; powdered, \$8.75; extra C, \$9.00; extra D, \$9.50; cubeta; cubes; cubetales in cases, 10 6-lb cartons, \$9; cube-
tales in cases, 40 2-lb cartons, \$23.25; bricks
in half bins, \$8.40; bricks in boxes, \$3.50;
extra fino dry granulated, 100-lb bags out,
\$7.00; extra C, \$7.10; golden C, \$7; yellow,
\$6.00.

HIDES AND TALLOW.

Prices 1. o. b. Napa.

HIDES—Dry, according to quality, 35@40c;
dry salt hides, 20c; bull head, 30c; cow head,
10 to 15 lbs, 45c; real, 7 to 10 lbs, 45c; calf,
under 7 lbs, 50c; No. 3, damaged, price ac-
cording to condition.

Wet salted hides—Per lb: Steers and cows,

10 lbs and up, No. 1, 23c; No. 2, 22c; bulk and extra, No. 1, 17c; No. 2, 16c; half, 18 to 30 lbs, No. 1, 21c; No. 2, 20c; extra, No. 1, 33½c; No. 1, 33½c; No. 2, 32½c; calf, up to 10 lbs, No. 1, 33½c; No. 2, 32½c; damaged or half cut, 25c; salted, 56½c per lb; extra grubby hides, 1c per lb; No. 2, 1c.

Horse, dried and skinned to hoof: No. 1, \$2.00; No. 2, do, medium, \$1.50; 62½c; do, small, 56c; calf, 50c; colts, 45c.

Wet, salted, skinned to hoof: large, 14½c; No. 1, 14c; No. 2, 13c; small, 12c; calf, 11c; No. 1, medium, 23c; No. 2, 22c; small, 17c; 62½c.

Sheep, 100 lbs.—Each: Long wool, 9 to 12 months' growth, \$2 and up; medium, 6 to 9 months' growth, \$1.75; shorts, 3 to 9 months, 60c; 1; shearling, 50c; 2; 3; 4; 5; 6; 7; 8; 9; 10; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15; 16; 17; 18; 19; 20; 21; 22; 23; 24; 25; 26; 27; 28; 29; 30; 31; 32; 33; 34; 35; 36; 37; 38; 39; 40; 41; 42; 43; 44; 45; 46; 47; 48; 49; 50; 51; 52; 53; 54; 55; 56; 57; 58; 59; 60; 61; 62; 63; 64; 65; 66; 67; 68; 69; 70; 71; 72; 73; 74; 75; 76; 77; 78; 79; 80; 81; 82; 83; 84; 85; 86; 87; 88; 89; 90; 91; 92; 93; 94; 95; 96; 97; 98; 99; 100.

er damaged, —@10c; lambs, 15¢@50c; shaved
17.50; do. small, 10¢@30c; milk lambs, 1¢@10c;
doat skins—Each: No. 1 Angora, large not
cut, 30¢@40¢; do. medium, 35¢@50¢; No. 2,
25¢@30¢; kids, 5¢@10c.

TALLOW—Per lb: No. 1. white and dark, 10¢;
No. 2, 7¢@10c; do. No. 3, 4¢@5c; No. 2, 3¢;
No. 4, grease, 2¢@3c.

BAGS.

BAGS—Standard Calcutta grain bags, 10¢@
12¢; domestic, 10¢@; San Quentin, do. 10¢;
bags, 3½¢-1b. 65¢; 4-lb. 57¢; fleece twine,
10¢ per lb; burl bags, 18¢@22, 8c.

OILS AND LEADS.

TERPENTINE—Strictly pure, in tanks, per
doz; in cases, \$1.25; 10-cuse lots, 1c less.
RESIN (per 100 lb. of ready-to-draw) \$1.10;
c. U. S. 10.00.
KEROSENE—Per gal.: West oil, bulk, 9c;
do, case, two 5s, 10c; Standard, bulk, 10c;
do, case, two 5s, 15c; Esocine, bulk, 11c; do, case,
two 5s, 12c; Blakine, bulk, 12c, 24c;
do, case, two 5s, 25c; Gasoline, bulk, 20c;
do, case, two 5s, 25c; engine oil, bulk, 10c;
do, case, two 5s, 18c; naphtha, bulk, 10c;
do, case, two 5s, 27c.
LANSERD—In cases, 7 1/2 lbs per gal.;
strictly pure raw linseed oil, in bbls, \$1.40;
do, in cases, \$1.25; do, bottled, in bbls, \$1.18;
do, in cases, \$1.05; 5-lb lots, 1c less; do, 10c.

WHITE LEAD—Per lb: Strictly pure, in wood or steel, 11½c; one-ton lots, 11½c; 500 lbs. 11½c; 250 lbs. 11½c; 100 lbs. 11½c; 50 lbs. 11½c; 25 lbs. 11½c; 10 lbs. 11½c; 5 lbs. 11½c; 2½ lbs. 11½c; 1½ lbs. 11½c; ¾ lb. 11½c; ½ lb. 11½c; ¼ lb. 11½c; 1/8 lb. 11½c; 1/16 lb. 11½c; 1/32 lb. 11½c; 1/64 lb. 11½c; 1/128 lb. 11½c; 1/256 lb. 11½c; 1/512 lb. 11½c; 1/1024 lb. 11½c; 1/2048 lb. 11½c; 1/4096 lb. 11½c; 1/8192 lb. 11½c; 1/16384 lb. 11½c; 1/32768 lb. 11½c; 1/65536 lb. 11½c; 1/131072 lb. 11½c; 1/262144 lb. 11½c; 1/524288 lb. 11½c; 1/1048576 lb. 11½c; 1/2097152 lb. 11½c; 1/4194304 lb. 11½c; 1/8388608 lb. 11½c; 1/16777216 lb. 11½c; 1/33554432 lb. 11½c; 1/67108864 lb. 11½c; 1/134217728 lb. 11½c; 1/268435456 lb. 11½c; 1/536870912 lb. 11½c; 1/1073741824 lb. 11½c; 1/2147483648 lb. 11½c; 1/4294967296 lb. 11½c; 1/8589934592 lb. 11½c; 1/17179869184 lb. 11½c; 1/34359738368 lb. 11½c; 1/68719476736 lb. 11½c; 1/137438953472 lb. 11½c; 1/274877906944 lb. 11½c; 1/549755813888 lb. 11½c; 1/1099511627776 lb. 11½c; 1/2199023255552 lb. 11½c; 1/4398046511104 lb. 11½c; 1/8796093022208 lb. 11½c; 1/17592186044416 lb. 11½c; 1/35184372088832 lb. 11½c; 1/70368744177664 lb. 11½c; 1/140737488355328 lb. 11½c; 1/281474976710656 lb. 11½c; 1/562949953421312 lb. 11½c; 1/1125899906842624 lb. 11½c; 1/2251799813685248 lb. 11½c; 1/4503599627370496 lb. 11½c; 1/9007199254740992 lb. 11½c; 1/18014398509481984 lb. 11½c; 1/36028797018963968 lb. 11½c; 1/72057594037927936 lb. 11½c; 1/144115188075855872 lb. 11½c; 1/288230376151711744 lb. 11½c; 1/576460752303423488 lb. 11½c; 1/1152921504606846976 lb. 11½c; 1/2305843009213693952 lb. 11½c; 1/4611686018427387904 lb. 11½c; 1/9223372036854775808 lb. 11½c; 1/18446744073709551616 lb. 11½c; 1/36893488147419103232 lb. 11½c; 1/73786976294838206464 lb. 11½c; 1/147573952589676412928 lb. 11½c; 1/295147905179352825856 lb. 11½c; 1/590295810358705651712 lb. 11½c; 1/1180591620717411303424 lb. 11½c; 1/2361183241434822606848 lb. 11½c; 1/4722366482869645213696 lb. 11½c; 1/9444732965739290427392 lb. 11½c; 1/18889465931478580854784 lb. 11½c; 1/37778931862957161709568 lb. 11½c; 1/75557863725914323419136 lb. 11½c; 1/151115727451828646838272 lb. 11½c; 1/302231454903657293676544 lb. 11½c; 1/604462909807314587353088 lb. 11½c; 1/1208925819614629174706176 lb. 11½c; 1/2417851639229258349412352 lb. 11½c; 1/4835703278458516698824704 lb. 11½c; 1/9671406556917033397649408 lb. 11½c; 1/19342813113834066795298816 lb. 11½c; 1/38685626227668133590597632 lb. 11½c; 1/77371252455336267181195264 lb. 11½c; 1/154742504910672534362390528 lb. 11½c; 1/309485009821345068724781056 lb. 11½c; 1/618970019642690137449562112 lb. 11½c; 1/1237940039285380274899124224 lb. 11½c; 1/2475880078570760549798248448 lb. 11½c; 1/4951760157141521099596496896 lb. 11½c; 1/9903520314283042199192993792 lb. 11½c; 1/19807040628566084398385987584 lb. 11½c; 1/39614081257132168796771975168 lb. 11½c; 1/79228162514264337593543950336 lb. 11½c; 1/158456325028528675187087900672 lb. 11½c; 1/316912650057057350374175801344 lb. 11½c; 1/633825300114114700748351602688 lb. 11½c; 1/1267650600228229401496703205376 lb. 11½c; 1/2535301200456458802993406410752 lb. 11½c; 1/5070602400912917605986812821504 lb. 11½c; 1/10141204801825835211973625643008 lb. 11½c; 1/20282409603651670423947251286016 lb. 11½c; 1/40564819207303340847894502572032 lb. 11½c; 1/81129638414606681695789005144064 lb. 11½c; 1/162259276829213363391578010288128 lb. 11½c; 1/324518553658426726783156020576256 lb. 11½c; 1/649037107316853453566312041152512 lb. 11½c; 1/1298074214633706907132624082305024 lb. 11½c; 1/2596148429267413814265248164610048 lb. 11½c; 1/5192296858534827628530496329220096 lb. 11½c; 1/10384593717069655257060992658440192 lb. 11½c; 1/20769187434139310514121985316880384 lb. 11½c; 1/41538374868278621028243970633760768 lb. 11½c; 1/83076749736557242056487941267521536 lb. 11½c; 1/16615349947311448411297588253504288 lb. 11½c; 1/33230699894622896822595176507008576 lb. 11½c; 1/66461399789245793645190353014017152 lb. 11½c; 1/132922799578491587290380706028034304 lb. 11½c; 1/265845599156983174580761412056068608 lb. 11½c; 1/531691198313966349161522824112137216 lb. 11½c; 1/1063382396627932698323045648224274432 lb. 11½c; 1/2126764793255865396646091296448548864 lb. 11½c; 1/4253529586511730793292182592897097728 lb. 11½c; 1/8507059173023461586584365185794195456 lb. 11½c; 1/17014118346046923173168730371588390912 lb. 11½c; 1/34028236692093846346337460743176781824 lb. 11½c; 1/680564

CASTOR OIL.—Per gal: Bakers' AA 1-gal
ns, \$2.22; 5-gal. cans, \$2.10.

